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Sir:

In response to the Official Action (final rejection) issued on August 5, 2010, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks. Amendments to the claims are set forth in the listing of claims which begins at page 2 of this paper. As well, Applicants' remarks begin at page 8 of this paper. A Request for Continued Examination is being filed herewith.